

What our government can do for Arizona.

Congress has adjourned and probably done nothing towards the organization of this territory of Arizona. Much as the subject has been discussed, much as the necessities of the inhabitants of this region have been set forth in the newspapers, in petitions and in letters to the various departments of state, we are yet to pass another year without the probability of any action on the part of Congress to give us law and order. Other issues than those of the wants of the people, and the consideration of what is justly due from a Government to its citizens have been allowed to interfere with this great question which we regard as the one matter of interest. In the meanwhile our citizens are left to suffer all the inconveniences attendant upon the unsettled state of their political organization. Those who have risked their capital and lives in the development of this country—must either still run the risks or lose their investments. In this state of things it is a matter of great importance to know what can and will be done for the territory of our adoption. The first great boon we have asked is a territorial organization, one which will give us a means of making and enforcing laws to protect life and property, and which will encourage the enterprising to come and settle within our limits. If this boon must be denied for a time, till other questions are settled, the next best thing for us, is the establishment of a separate Judicial District with a United States Judge and officers. This can be done without prejudice to the great question of a Territorial organization, and will give at least a semblance of a disposition on the part of government to extend to this distant region the first dawn of favor.

With a court of law and Record, and probably a branch office of the Surveyor General of Territory established at some suitable point, the people of this portion of the territory could have many advantages. High crimes, such as murder and theft would be punished. Titles to property could be recorded and disputed claims settled. Boundary lines fixed, and many a disputed point, now settled with the revolver and bowie knife, adjusted as becomes civilized and intelligent men—the interests of the country developed and emigration invited. We trust that this matter will receive early attention and a favorable consideration.

Sonora.

There is nothing new from Sonora. The abandonment of the siege of Mazatlan by Peschiera is confirmed and it is rumored that Gen. Gandara is there. We place little reliance however in the rumor. The rest of Sonora is quiet. Much indignation is felt at the President's suggestion of occupying Sonora. Many of the more intelligent people, however, look upon this movement as the only one which can put a stop to the reign of anarchy and civil war.

An Interesting Mineral Region.

Recent discoveries have shown that a very interesting and promising mineral region exists about sixty miles to the west of Tubac on the borders of the Papago country. The great veins on which the Cerro Colorado mines are situated seem to cross the mountains and again appears on their western slope. If their theory is correct there will undoubtedly be opened another fine field for mining operations, which would amply justify at least a careful exploration. We learn that one locality has already been taken up and that other parties have visited this field.

HOTEL AT TUBAC.—Mr. I. A. Hill has leased the Sonora Mining Company's house at Tubac and opened a Hotel, an institution very much needed. In his enterprise Mr. Hill deserves success, and we trust he will be liberally patronized.

IMPORTANT PURCHASE.—The Santa Rita Silver Mining Company have purchased the old Rancho and Mission building of Tomacacari, and as soon as the title is perfected will make extensive improvement.

European Intelligence.

The latest dates from Europe indicate a continuation of warlike rumors; a slight advance in the price of cotton. Breadstuffs and provisions firm.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The America arrived at Halifax at 11 o'clock last night. She was detained in her passage by encountering boisterous weather.

The war rumors continue. Letters from Paris speak of great activity in warlike preparations, and the general opinion was that a momentous crisis in continental affairs has approached.

The English Government is reported as exerting itself for peace, and on the attitude of this Government it was believed that the question of peace or war depended.

The Princess Frederick William, of Prussia, daughter of Queen Victoria, has given birth to a son, causing great rejoicing in Prussia and much satisfaction in England.

The advices by the China mail confirm the previously reported short supplies of tea.

Hon. Wm. B. Reed, the United States Commissioner to China, had sailed on board the U. S. frigate Minnesota, en route for home, via India.

GREAT BRITAIN.—The approaching session of Parliament was looked forward to with unusual interest, hopes being entertained that explanations will be made which will end to modify existing suspense.

The English Government had contracted with three large iron companies, to furnish sixty-eight pounders as fast as they can be cast.

Forged bills of exchange were in circulation in London to a large amount. They purport to be drawn by the Barbadoes Branch, Colonial Bank, on the parent establishment, and it is supposed that they were manufactured at New York. It was estimated that £15,000 worth of these drafts had been issued and were in circulation.

The demand on the cavalry was so urgent that the Government had given orders for the immediate purchase of a number of nine year old horses.

Sixty-two war transports will be ready at Toulon on the 1st of March. The supplemental corps of surgeons engaged in the military hospitals at Paris and Marseilles, had been ordered to be ready for active service on short notice. A letter from Grenoble speaks of the continued arrival of troops and the formation of army corps in the Alps.

It was reported that Pensigny is likely to be Ambassador to England, and his reappointment is regarded as a sign of peace.

At the Paris bourse on the 28th ult., the announcement of LeNord of a commander-in-chief being appointed for the Piedmontese army, and the rumor of an insurrection at Ravenna, had increased the flatness.

ITALY.—The king of Naples was at Naples, with improving health.

The Grand Duke of Tuscany has refused to accede to Austria's request, regarding the exchange of Tuscany for Austrian troops.

The Prince of Wales is to visit the king of Sardinia in the Spring.

The British Government had addressed a note to Sardinia in very friendly but very earnest terms, strongly deprecating the war policy.

Modena had sent 500 men to watch the Piedmontese frontier.

La Opinion, of Turin, says that the alliance with France was made quite distinct from the marriage of Prince Napoleon. The marriage strengthens the bond of amity. If France is to intervene for the independence of Italy, it is because her interests induce her, independent of this alliance.

AUSTRIA.—The Emperor of Austria, in an interview with the Directors of the National Bank, said that the Government could count with certainty, in case of need, on the strenuous support of the entire population of Germany, but assured them of his confidence in a speedy arrangement.

Considerable agitation existed throughout Poland and Hungary. Toe fermentation at Galicia was such that 80,000 troops were concentrated along that frontier to provide against an outbreak.

THE SAN ANTONIO AND MEXICAN GULF RAILROAD is advertised for sale on the 4th of April. We trust some enterprising Company will get possession of it and build the road. It will add materially to the facilities for transportation from the States to this country.

FLORIDA.—Florida dates up to Feb. 14th, say that Col Rector, had succeeded in inducing a greater part of the Seminoles to assemble at Fort Myers to be ready to embark for New Orleans. The steamer would touch at Point Aransas, to take the Arkansas delegation and all the Seminoles collected there, sixty in number.

From China.

The Washington Correspondent of the New York Herald, under date of Feb. 14, says that the State Department has received two treaties from China. One, adjusting all claims upon that country, and the other regulating the commercial relations and scale of duties between the two countries. These treaties are of great importance, and are said to be entirely satisfactory to the administration.

ARIZONA, DACOTAH AND JEFFERSON.—The Bills to organize the Territories of Arizona, Dacotah and Jefferson have all been tabled in the House. The bill for the organization of Arizona was tabled by a vote of 121 to 78. That for Dacotah by a vote of 127 to 66. The Jefferson bill was tabled without a motion.

TUCSON.—A new Catholic church is to be built at Tucson; quite a number of gardens are being planted near the town; there is actually a total of five white-washed houses! A hotel is also kept there, and altogether the old place, which a century and a half ago was in its glory, begins to wear a civilized look once more. A "feast," or celebration of divers Saints days, will commence at Tucson on the 5th of April and continue several days.

A BILL has passed Congress for the establishment of an Agricultural College.

KANSAS GOLD MINES.—The news from the Kansas Gold Mines, by late arrivals are not as favorable as by former dates.

NEWS FROM NICARAGUA.—Nicaragua dates up to January 28 had been received in the States. On the 16th of January the Nicaragua Government ratified the Case-Trissari Treaty as it was originally drawn.

IMPROVEMENTS AT THE FORT.—Under the superintendence of Capt. Ewell, an adobe corral one hundred feet square, capable of containing all the troop horses, has just been completed at Fort Buchanan.

GAME.—Quail begin to be very abundant in the wooded valleys and dry beds of streams, and in the Santa Cruz Valley there are plenty of turkeys; it is about time also for grizzly bears and rattlesnakes.

ATTENTION is called to the card of Dr. C. B. Hughes, in another column. Dr. H. is a graduate of the best Medical College of Cincinnati, and had extensive experience in the hospitals of that city. He will be found an attentive trusty, and highly skillful physician.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

HARNESS MAKING.

THE SUBSCRIBER informs the people of this portion of Arizona that he has opened the Harness and Saddlery Business at Tubac, where he is prepared to do all work in his line.

Saddles and Harness made and repaired in the best manner. (mar. 10) I. A. HILL.

COLT'S NAVY SIX-SHOOTER PISTOLS.

For sale by WHITE & GRANGER, At Fort Buchanan. mar. 10

RICE.

500 POUNDS FOR SALE at 39 cts. per lb. by WHITE & GRANGER, At Fort Buchanan. mar. 10

WHITE & GRANGER, at Fort Buchanan, have for sale, Rifles, Double-Guns, "North-West" Guns, Powder, Lead, Ely's Caps, Shot, Gun Wadding.

Also, Paints, Whiting, Putty, Chalk, Spirits-Turpentine, Glue, Nails, Castings, Tin-ware, Brass Kettles, Tubs, Buckets. [mar. 10]

BACON SIDES.

12,000 pounds for sale by WHITE & GRANGER, At Fort Buchanan. mar. 10

MOLASSES.

60 gallons for sale by WHITE & GRANGER, At Fort Buchanan. mar. 10

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CLOTHING MERCHANTS, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

WHITE & GRANGER, AT FORT BUCHANAN.

Offer for sale a large assortment of Merchandise, consisting of, DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BLANKETS, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, Groceries, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Tobacco, of all Sorts and Qualities, LIQUORS OF ALL SORTS, &c. &c. The above-named articles will be sold at reasonable prices, for Cash.

PISTOLS AND CARBINES.

A SUPPLY OF COLT'S NAVY PISTOL, (new pattern.) Also, Pocket "Six Shooters," together with a number of his six-barrel Carabines and five-barrel Rifles; FOR SALE at the Store of the Sonora Exploring and Mining Company, Tubac. FREDERICK HULSEMANN, Store Keeper.

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UNITED STATES BOUNDARY HOTEL.

LOCATED ON THE SONOITA-VALLEY ROAD three miles from Fort Buchanan. The above hotel will be opened by the subscriber in a few days, when he will be prepared to accommodate travelers in the best style the country affords. He will also keep on hand a fine assortment of wines, liquors, cigars, sardines, etc., etc., and after the first day of May, insure all horses committed to his care. Persons visiting the Fort will find good accommodations for the night at my establishment. JAMES GRAYDON.

WANTED,

BY THE SANTA-RITA SILVER MINING CO. An experienced Smelter. Also, good Barrateros, to work in the Salero Mine. Apply to W. WRIGHTSON, Tubac.

OFFICE SONORA E. & MINING CO.

Tubac, February 25th, 1859. UNTIL THE POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT commence regular mail service on the route, a mail will be sent from this office Friday of each week to Tucson, to connect with the mail of the Overland Mail Co., both East and West. A mail will be received at the office on Sunday of each week. S. H. LATHROP, Treasurer.

MILLWRIGHT.—An experienced millwright can obtain employment and good wages on application to S. H. LATHROP, Director of the Mines, Sonora Exploring and Mining Co., Tubac.

OFFICE SONORA EXPLORING & MINING CO.

Tubac, Feb. 10, 1859. H. J. OLDS.—Died of Consumption on the 27th day of October, 1858, while in the employment of this company, H. J. Olds. Mr. Olds was an American, about 30 years of age, a carpenter by trade, has a brother somewhere in California, and is said to have a sister and other relations in Wisconsin. His relatives can learn the particulars of his death, and his lawful representatives can obtain the amount due him at the time of his death on application to S. H. LATHROP, Director of the Mines, Tubac.

OFFICE SONORA EXPLORING & MINING CO.

Tubac, Feb. 10, 1859. JOHN STREIT, was killed in a rencontre with one Antonio Ellsner, on the 25th of December, 1858. Both persons were in the employment of this company. Streit was a German by birth, aged about 30; he was a cabinet maker by trade and at the time of his death "head carpenter" of the company. His family yet reside in Germany but he is said to have relatives living near San Antonio, Texas. His friends can learn the particulars of his death, and his legal representatives can obtain the amount due him, on application to S. H. LATHROP, Director of the Mines, Tubac.

OVERLAND MAIL NOTICE.—Change of Hour. On and after 3d December, the Overland Mail Stage will leave San Francisco for St. Louis and Memphis at 12 o'clock M. on Monday and Friday of each week. Overland Express for Visalia, Fort Tejon and Los Angeles, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12 o'clock M.

Overland Mail Company (via Los Angeles).—Tariff of Prices. From San Francisco, or from any point on the route between San Francisco and Fort Yuma, to terminus of Pacific Railroad, or Ft. Smith, Ark., \$100; From San Francisco to Visalia, \$20; From San Francisco to Fort Tejon, \$30; From San Francisco to Los Angeles, \$40; From San Francisco to Fort Yuma, \$70; From Los Angeles to Fort Yuma, \$40. Way fare 10 cents per mile; no charge less than one dollar.

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